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981 DEER KILLED

Report and Information Concerning Deer Killed in Vermont During Open Season, November 10-20, 1917.

Total number of deer killed, 9 days, 1917, 981.

Total number of deer killed, 18 days, 1916, 1630.

Largest number of deer reported from Essex County 156.

Second largest number reported from Windham County 124.

Third largest number reported from Washington County, 106.

Largest bucks reported in Lamoille and Orange Counties, 350 pounds each, shot by George Jones of Hyde Park, and Bryan Fitts of West Fairlee.

Total weight of deer carcasses killed during open season, 168,671 pounds. Average weight of animals, 172.

Number of does illegally or accidentally killed 25.

Number of buck fawns illegally or accidentally killed 11.

Special efforts were made to maintain an efficient warden service patrol through the past open season, and as a result, lawless hunters have not been in evidence. The policy has been to prevent violations, rather than to start prosecutions. Several wardens report extinguishing fires started by carelessness of hunters. There has been very few accidents due to carelessness on the part of the hunters.

Following is a complete tabulation for Essex County made from final reports received in the office of the Fish and Game Commissioner, at Cambridge, Vermont, November 30, 1917. This tabulation is made by towns, giving the number of deer killed in each town with names of the successful hunters.

Essex County

Averill
L. R. Chase.

Brunswick
Leslie Bradbury, Elmer Taylor, Dennis Ladue, Robert Marshall, Gibson Perry, E. H. Wheeler, B. F. Kimball, James Conn, Warren Courbet, I. R. Wolcott, E. W. Hamilton.

Brighton
Clayton Smith, W. F. Tucker, Orlando Danforth, Nelson Lamere, L. E. Currier, Joseph Davio, A. Stott, F. E. Minard, Mose Page, C. H. Barnes, L. N. Riggie, C. K. Ripley, George Riggie, Henry Lafontaine, Claude Foster, Paul Castonguay, Felix Castonguay, Ernest Castonguay, M. Blanchette, Bert Powers.

Bloomfield
L. C. Powers, E. H. Lee, E. E. Smith, A. H. Swett, Clayton Mann, E. L. Gaines, J. C. Borland, W. H. Lyman, C. L. Phillips, Richard Morris, W. W. Spinar, Ralph Wiggins, Ernest Sheldon, Erwin Stewart, Walter Houston.

Canaan
E. J. Kelly, Ray French, Wm. Dwinell, John Locke.

Concord
Zenas Jenks, D. A. Fisher, Ernest Ort, E. Adair, D. A. Fisher, W. H. Crawford, Rufus Young, Willie Brown, Peter Martin, Hollis Morrill.

East Haven
O. L. Worthen, G. E. Spencer, Warren Gaskill, Walter Gaskill, R. Evans, W. A. La Bounty, H. R. Palmer, Guy Watson, H. E. Woodward, Fred Lamoine, Frank Woodward.

Ferdinand
Elzear Herbert, James Hanna, P. R. Moultrou, Lewis Rowell, Harry Magoon, A. G. Baird, Thomas Buzzo, H. S. Moultrou.

Guildhall
L. D. Stockwell
Granby
Fred Kelly, Gilman Howe, Clarence Gutherie, Charles Safford, W. O. Safford, Arthur Sanborn, O. D. Shores.

Lewis
Clifton Barrup, Harry Powers, Charles Horn, M. A. Morris, B. T. Jackman, George Metcalf, Bert Powers, C. D. Pierce, M. Phillips, A. A. Webster, C. S. Heath.

Lunenburg
George H. Ramsdell, Geo. Covey, Charles McLaughlin, Fred Siveiny, Dan Dodge, E. M. Dodge, James Greenwood, Hypoliet Andewart, R. P. Monahan, E. Blood, Geo. Coony, Rollo Bell.

Maidstone
Ben J. Ford, F. A. Curtis, Jacob Master, A. H. Gammell, C. M. Leach, George Humphrey, O. H. Quimby, C. A. Eliot, H. F. Cutler, George Bond.

Norton
Harry Chase, J. O. Weymouth, Cypheus Dupont, R. F. Mason, H. V. Drown, W. P. Barrows, M. D. Francis, Alphonse Turgeon, Edmund Le Clair, Ralph Preston, J. F. Daniels, George Ladd, Ira Daniels, Frank Welch, Ed. Lelan.

Warren's Gore
Ed. Rogers, Charles Walker.

Wenlock
J. J. Corkins, C. L. Westcott, Will Wright, Bert Marshall.

Victory
Ernest Gathercole, E. J. Wilkie, Bernice Wilkie, Raymond Peterson, Clyde Rivers, Vincent Hill, Allen Lynaugh, Harry Carr, Horace Goss, F. B. Kerr, Ernest Brown, A. E. Gallup, Stillman Emery, Bruce Wakefield, Albert Barnes.

Red Cross Notes

The local branch has shipped the following finished articles to the supply house in Boston, as a result of the past month's work:

Six pajama suits, twelve surgical shirts, thirty-six comfort pillows, twelve dozen ten inch mouth wipes, forty-three dozen four inch mouth wipes, forty-four two inch mouth wipes, twelve helmets, thirty-six pairs wristlets, six scarfs, forty-five pairs socks.

Seven sweaters, seven comfort bags and seven housewives have been furnished to men leaving for Camp Devens and one sweater has been sent to an Island Pond man already in France.

Cash gifts during November:
Christian Endeavor Society \$2.00
Eastern Star 3.00
Boys class Cong'l Sunday School 2.00
Court Island Pond, I. O. F. 2.25
Eastern Star 3.00
Business men's supper 10.15
Mrs. B. Howes 5.00
A friend 12.00

Will all members of the branch remember that December 20, is the time for paying regular pledges for the work. It is hoped that all unpaid pledges will be met on or before that date.

Mrs. H. E. Randall and Mrs. Jennie Edmunds have been elected delegates to attend the New England Division meeting of the American Red Cross to be held in Boston, December 13th.

Right One to Switch.
Irate Parent—I warned you boys, and now I'm going to switch you for making such a racket.
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Amey & Cameron

Harry B. Amey has taken into partnership Oliver H. Cameron of St. Johnsbury and up to December first a member of the law firm of Searles, Graves & Cameron.

Mr. Amey's law practice has become so extended as to reach far outside Essex County and much of the time he has to be away from his office. With Mr. Cameron as partner the large practice Mr. Amey has built up here will be looked after more readily and thus enable the firm to give all clients prompt service. Mr. Cameron is well known here, Norton being his home town. He is a young man, active, aggressive and progressive and the opportunity given him as partner of Mr. Amey will enable him to make steady advancement in his profession.

MUST HAVE MORE MEAT

Why Backyards and Farms Must Raise More Chickens, Ducks and Geese.

Because of the war the meat reserves of the world are diminished. The herds of live stock in Europe have been reduced by slaughter made necessary in order to feed the armies. Our own meat production in the years just preceding the war was barely sufficient for our uses. And yet we are now called upon not only to feed ourselves, but to feed Europe to a large extent, and we must do it if we win the war.

Where will we get the meat? You can do your part, on your farm and in your backyard, by producing more poultry—increasing the supply of eggs and chickens, geese and ducks. Our total number of beef animals can not be increased with sufficient quickness. Several years are required to build up cattle herds. Hogs can be increased considerably in a year. They can be increased faster than any other meat animal. But poultry can be doubled in a year. It offers the fastest and cheapest possible source of meat, increase. That is why it is so important that everyone help in poultry production next year.

The more poultry and eggs we produce the more poultry and eggs we will eat. The more of that food we eat the less beef and pork we will need or want—leaving that much more to go to Europe. Thus we do indirectly the thing we can't do directly. By poultry production we get quickly more meat to win the war, although we can not increase in that time the number of our meat animals.

Get some hens. You will help to win the war. You will reduce your own cost of living. You will turn waste into food. Get some good hens.

A Call For Overseas Workers

An emergency call has come to the War Work Council of the Y. M. C. A. for 700 additional workers to be sent overseas for work with the American, French, Italian and Russian Armies. Vermont is urged to furnish at least ten men as its quota of the number needed. These men are to be between the age limits of 31 and 50; and must be loyal supporters of the Government. Besides Secretaries who have had Association experience, there is need of expert bookkeepers, stenographers, and auto mechanics. Ministers, professional business men can fill many of the positions. Of course it is men of established Christian character and of proven ability that are needed for this service. The War Work Council wishes to secure men who will be ready to sail by January 1st.

This call affords another opportunity for most needed and valuable service on the part of men that can fill the positions indicated. The State Committee of the Young Men's Christian Association is desirous of doing everything it can to aid in this matter and therefore request that any person who feels inclined to consider this call will communicate with the acting State Secretary, W. E. McGovern, Burlington, Vt.

How is Your Fuel Supply

The local fuel committee find the prospect of getting an adequate supply of coal for Island Pond is doubtful.

We probably will have to use wood for fuel.

If not provided with fuel for the winter report your need to the committee by Dec. 10th, that they may be able to estimate the amount required.

While we are without authority in the matter of handling wood we cannot be of assistance unless we have this information.

Local Fuel Committee.

POULTRY THE BEST CHANCE.

Back Yards and Farms Can Double the Nation's Meat Supply.

Poultry must be produced next year in places where it has not been produced before, and everywhere that poultry has been produced that production must be increased. It is necessary that people in the country and in the town answer alike to this call. Farms and backyards must both do their bit, for the doubling of our poultry production next year is an indispensable item in the Nation's food production program—a program which must be carried out if we are to win the war.

The meat supplies available for European use are short. Meat must be supplied if the war is won—by the forces who fight for freedom. The war will be won if we fail in food production—but not by us. We must understand what will happen if we do not provide the enormous quantities of foodstuffs that the Allies can not produce for themselves. Are we going to feed our Army on chickens and eggs? Of course not. But by greatly increasing our production of chickens and eggs, and by eating those chickens and eggs ourselves we will, naturally, eat that much less beef and pork. In turn, that beef and pork can be sent to Europe.

The United States Department of Agriculture calls upon the country to double poultry production next year. That can be done if the farms will keep an average of 100 hens instead of an average of 40 hens, as at present, and if every family in town will keep enough hens in the backyard to produce all the eggs used by that family—or two hens to each person.

Insurance Of Soldiers And Sailors.

Washington, D. C., 1917.—The act which provides for Government life insurance for soldiers has now been in operation a little more than a month. The Secretary of the Treasury announced on November 17th that up to date 64,168 applications under the new law had been received, representing insurance in the sum of \$552,093,000. From four to six thousand applications are received each day at the Treasury Department, the amount of insurance applied for sometimes reaching a total of fifty million dollars in a single day.

The law provides that soldiers, sailors, marines and nurses in active service may obtain from the Government life insurance in amounts not exceeding \$10,000 at premium rates ranging from 65 cents a month at the age of 21 years to \$1.20 a month at the age of 51 years, for each \$1,000 of insurance.

One of the primary objects of this law is to lessen the tremendous burden of pensions which has followed as consequence of all American wars.

It is evident that the administration of this new branch of Government work is big business in itself. But this is only one of many governmental activities incident to the war which are adding great numbers of clerks, stenographers, and other servants to Uncle Sam's payroll. Literally thousands of stenographers and typewriters have been appointed in Washington during the past few months and thousands more are to be appointed as soon as they are available. The United States Civil Service Commission is holding examinations for these positions weekly throughout the country. Secretaries of local boards of civil service examiners at the post offices are furnishing detailed information.

Timber for Ship Building

A car load of timber for ship building was loaded at this station this week consigned to Gloucester, Mass., and about half a car to Portland. This timber came from Morgan and was cut and hauled by Mr. Elliott under the direction of a party sent from the ship yards. The timber consisted of long trees, large in diameter and perfect growth of timber.

This shipment is a reminder of what the government is doing in building ships necessary to win the war.

Heavy Snow Fall

The last week in November 1917 will be noted for the large fall of snow, the depth of snow and severity of the cold season making an instance out of the ordinary for a Vermont winter.

The snow fall in this section is estimated from 12 to 18 inches, and there has been several cold and blustering days.

PROBATE NOTICE

Regular sessions of the Probate Court for the district of Essex will be held at Guildhall on the first Wednesday of each month, in the forenoon.

At Island Pond, the first Wednesday of January, April, July and October, in the afternoon.

At Lunenburg, the second Wednesday of January, April, July and October, in the forenoon.

At Concord in the afternoon of the same days.

Special sessions will be held by arrangement.

Communications should be sent to Edwin O. Carl, Judge, Canaan, or to George A. Hubbard, Register, Guildhall.

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What Can I Do to Win the War?

The government has called more of our boys to army training camps this week and we stay-at-homes must get busy.

Deny yourself white flour and meat once a week that the boys may be fed. Deny yourself the extra fire that the government may have the coal for its uses.

Save your money that you may the more readily assist in financing the war. Deposit with

ISLAND POND NATIONAL BANK

Xmas Is Nearly Due

The "Kiddies" are looking for the Usual Good Time.

Why should they not have it? Nations at war—yes but what of it. We want the little folks to be normal and have the Xmas spirit just the same as ever.

Our stock of Games and Toys you will find are of the better sort, with a great variety of useful gifts for every member of the family. We are getting things in shape to show you the line, so call any time and let us help you to make a selection.

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